

WAR TO END IN DRAW
NEXT SUMMER, SWISS
OBSERVER PREDICTS

Zurich Military Critic Sees No Possibility of Either Group of Belligerents Crushing the Other

DEADLOCK BY WINTER

ZURICH, Oct. 16.—The military critic of the New Zurich Gazette, who has observed the situation, predicts the world war will end next summer with a compromise between the Allies and the Central Powers. He says: "There is no possibility that one group of the belligerent powers or the other will be crushed. On the western front the German lines will not break, and it is even doubtful whether they can be pushed back to the frontier. So far the powerful offensive of the Allies has netted but small results. "With enormous sacrifices in men and munitions, the British and French troops have reconquered some ninety or one hundred English square miles of territory and a number of villages, but the tactical and strategical advantages gained by them are almost nil.

BRITAIN'S GIANT TASK
If they have an unlimited supply of ammunition and millions of reserves they may continue their progress for some time, but it will be doubted that England will pay the enormous cost in men. To clear France of the Germans is impossible without loss of from three to four million men, and the gigantic army which will have to be sacrificed must be furnished by England, because France has almost exhausted her reserves.

The Germans, of course, also will have large losses, but the advantage still remains on their side if their lines are not broken. Should they really be compelled to withdraw from French soil they will have not only their own immensely strong frontier fortresses, but also the Belgian bulwarks of Antwerp, Liege and Namur, which can be held with comparatively small forces for a long time.

In the East the prospects of the Allies are no better. The Russians, despite their successes, are still hemmed in between the Pripiet marshes and the Carpathian Mountains, and will exhaust themselves if they continue their efforts to reach Lemberg much longer. The lines of the Austrians in Volhynia and Galicia have been greatly strengthened, and their defense will surely turn into an offensive as soon as the collapse of the Russian becomes evident.

ALLIES' SOLE HOPE IN BALKANS

The sole hope of the Allies at the present time seems to rest on a possible victory in the Balkans, but even there their chances are not bright. Rumania, instead of being an aid to them, is already in a sad plight and can only be saved from utter defeat by the assistance of Russia.

In Macedonia the British-French-Serbian-Rumanian-Italian offensive is still in its initial stages. The successes of the Allies in this front are confined to their western wing, where they have made some progress. Monastir may fall into their hands, but even then they will still be far from their objective, the Oriental Railroad. To isolate Bulgaria and Turkey from the Central Powers they will have to cross the Balkan Mountains, which will soon be covered with snow and impassable.

As things stand now a new deadlock may be expected on all fronts with the beginning of the winter. This pause will be used by the Allies to store up munitions of shells and to strengthen their artillery still further for the final "big drive," which may begin early next spring. If this great effort also fails to crush the Germans and their Allies peace will come. The war will then end in a draw.

CZAR AND ITALY TRY TO SAVE RUMANIA

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union in an effort to throw a ring around Bapaume.

TEUTONS BREAK THROUGH GYMES PASS INTO RUMANIA; SEVERE BATTLE NOW RAGING

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Teutonic troops have broken through Gymes Pass and invaded northwestern Rumania, according to Berlin dispatches today. Severe fighting is going on on a Rumanian hill near the town of Palanka. The Austro-Germans are attempting to drive southward along the Tergu-Ocna Railway to cut the main railway line supplying the northern Rumanian armies.

The fighting in southern Transylvania is becoming more violent in the region north of Vulcan Pass. There the Rumanians are pressing their counter-attacks and have thrown back Austrian troops for a considerable distance.

"All along the Danube there has been artillery and infantry fighting. This statement is contained in an official bulletin received from Bucharest. No details are given as to the exact locality or importance, or the turn taken by the activity reported. Official bulletins from both Sofia and Berlin recently, however, have announced attacks on the Danube, in which several small islands were wrested from the Rumanians, although there has not been hitherto any official news of the crossing of large bodies of troops on either side, with the exception of the Rumanian demonstration that of Rusevick, Bulgaria.

In Macedonia the battle around the bend of the Czerna River, where Bulgars and Serbs have been engaged for several days, is continuing with the outcome still in doubt. The British and French have not been hitherto any official news of the crossing of large bodies of troops on either side, with the exception of the Rumanian demonstration that of Rusevick, Bulgaria.

A British patrol penetrated the village

PEACE WITHOUT ALLIED VICTORY
TREASON, SAYS ITALIAN LEADER

By JOHN H. HEARLEY ROME, Oct. 16.

AUSTRIA must be destroyed as a State and Germany deprived of every thought of dominating the world before the war can end, Signor Leonida Bissolati, Civil Commissioner for War, Socialist leader, soldier and one of the most powerful figures in the Italian Cabinet, said today. To consent to peace now would be an act of treason on the part of any Allied nation, he declared.



LEONIDA BISSOLATI

It is necessary to proclaim this fearlessly and openly as Premier Asquith and Lloyd George did."

of Bursak, driving back Bulgarian detachments. British aviators attacked the Buk bridge.

SOPIA, Oct. 16.

Repulse by the Bulgarians of all attacks on the whole Macedonian front was announced by the Bulgarian War Office this afternoon. A violent assault by a Serbian division between the Monastir road and the railway was beaten back with heavy losses, it was stated, and two repetitions were equally fruitless. There was stubborn fighting on the Czerna River front, the Bulgars warding off hostile advances by hand-grenade bombardments.

VIENNA SAYS CADORNA'S DRIVE HAS BEEN CHECKED; CARSO FRONT IS QUIETER

VIENNA, Oct. 16.—The Austro-Hungarian War Office announces that the new Italian offensive movement has been checked. Between the Adriatic and the heights southeast of Gorizia the Italians used 120,000 infantrymen in their attack upon the Austro-Hungarian position.

The following official statement was made public today: "Since Friday the coastal front has been quiet. The Italian attack can be considered repulsed as a result of the fighting on October 11. The enemy had concentrated against our southern wing.

Between the sea and the heights southeast of Gorizia we were faced by the Italian third army and parts of the second army, numbering about sixteen divisions, with the Italians' most powerful artillery and mine throwers.

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FRENCH PENETRATE SAILLY IN FIERCE SOMME FIGHTING; TEUTON ATTACKS FAIL

PARIS, Oct. 16.

Another outburst of violent fighting has developed on the Somme front. North of the river the French, extending their drive, have penetrated Salliy Sallisel, the French War Office announced today. The Germans pushed home powerful counter-attacks, and the fighting which thus developed is continuing, according to the communique.

After entering the German position at Salliy Sallisel, the French engaged the Germans in the streets and were able to occupy some of the houses along the Bapaume highway.

The fighting then extended to the cellars and subterranean forts of the Germans, where, in the darkness of these caves, the men fought hand-to-hand with bayonets and bombs.

The French attack at Salliy Sallisel followed assaults by the British near Thiepval and French attacks around Abaincourt, at the extreme southern end of the front.

The text of the official communique follows: "North of the Somme we penetrated

on the island of Crete by ex-Premier Venizelos has been recognized by the French consul, said a Central News Athens dispatch today. The consul made a formal call on the Venizelist government.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—A nation-wide organization of Greeks in a "Venizelos party" favoring Greece's intervention in the war on the side of the Allies, was planned by Greek leaders here today following a big demonstration last night. Ten thousand Greeks tried to crowd their way into a hall where the new party was formed, and 14000 was subscribed in a few minutes. It is planned to enlist 200,000 Greeks in the movement.

ITALIANS CAPTURE ENTIRE ENEMY BATTERY ON PASUBIO; SHELL AUSTRIANS ON CARSO

ROME, Oct. 16.—The weight of the Italian attacks was transferred yesterday from the Carso to the Trentino front, where the Austrians were forced to give way, the War Office announced.

The Italians, while continuing their bombardment of the Austrian lines on the Carso plateau, preparatory to a renewal of the drive for Trieste, are vigorously pressing the fight in the Trentino. After rolling back an enemy assault on the slopes of Monte Pasubio, Bersaglieri and Alpine troops counter-charged with such ferocity that they swept the Austrians back toward Monte Roite. In the region of Cornoan an entire battery of Austrian guns was seized, seriously crippling the enemy's defense.

Cadorna, it is believed here, is awaiting reinforcements before launching another attack on the enemy's lines in the Gorizia sector and against the defenses of the road to Trieste. The Austrians are in some too strong force here, but they have constructed an elaborate system of defenses that the Italians are finding it difficult to pierce.

90,000 MUNITIONS MEN PILE UP KAISER'S SUPPLY

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numbering 20,000, and dressed in overall bloomers, add a touch of fairyland. The plants are growing like mushrooms. Some idea of their tremendous size may be gathered from the fact that in one store-yard a million shells are kept always on hand, and this number is being steadily increased. In the center of the plant is a large target range, where shells and cannon are tested before being sent to the front.

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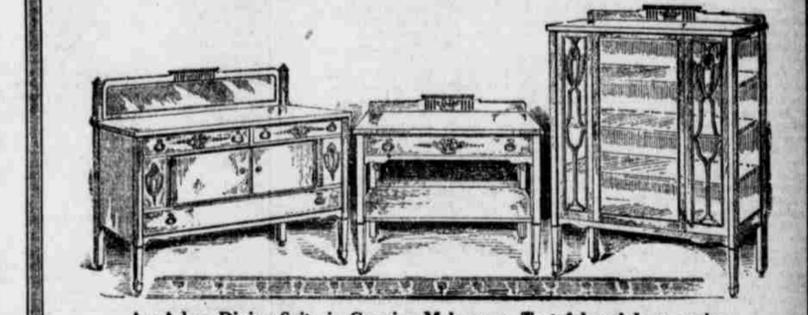
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